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In re U.S. Application of:)

Applicant(s): Kenji Koyama)

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METHOD, AND DISK)
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2005, please amend the above-identified Application as follows: